Spout Spring

Spout Spring, June 27.- Mr. and Mrs. Doren Samples and children, of W. Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Lance and daughter, of Asheville, N. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry M.Daniel and son, of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Moon visited his parents last week.

Jimmie Shirey is spending the summer with his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garrett, of N. Y. were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chilton entertained at their home on June 18 to honor the birthday of Mrs. Lura Howerton. A picnic dinner was served. A large crowd was present. All enjoyed the occasion. Mrs. Howerton received many gifts.

Spout Spring, June 27.- Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McCann and daughter, Irene and Jessie Arthurs motored to Richmond over the week-end to visit relatives in Richmond.

Miss Faye Mund, of Richmond is spending a couple of weeks with Lanette Reynolds.

We are sorry to hear of the illness of Mr. R. W. Smith, and wish him a speedy recovery.

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Pamplin, R. F. D., June 27.- Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tolley, of Roanoke and Billy Tolley, of Richmond were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Tolley.

Mrs. Charles Hancock and family visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Baldwin on Sunday. Visiting in the same home are Mrs. Katherine Couch and son, Charles, of Newport News.

Misses Jean Jennings and Irene Simmons, of Evergreen were Sunday guests of Nora and Bobbie Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Meadows, of Richmond spent the week-end with Mrs. Annie Meadows and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Arrington and Miss Minnie Sizemore, all of Farmville were week-end guests of Mrs. Mary Sizemore and family.

Shirley Arrington is visiting her sister, Mrs. Letcher Simpson, of Tuggle this week.

Quite a few of the folks around here attended services at the Methodist Church in Pamplin on Sunday night. A group of children from the Methodist Orphanage sang several selections which were enjoyed by everyone.

Rocks

Rocks, June 25.- Farmers are busy cutting wheat and plowing corn.

Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Marsh and daughter, of Norfolk, were visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Marsh recently.

Johnny Roach returned home from Lynchburg last Monday night.

Rodney Roach went to Lynchburg Monday afternoon to get Johnny and his mother.

Mrs. W. F. Ranson was taken to the hospital in Lynchburg Tuesday and had a slight operation Wednesday.

Fuller Adkinson, of Washington, is spending some time with William Ranson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Elder attended the funeral of Mrs. Garrison, near Madisonville Saturday afternoon.

Ed Chernault, of Norfolk is visiting his brother, John, of Pamplin.

Mrs. D. R. Inge and Mr. and Mrs. Toby Inge attended the Paulette-Franklin marriage at Evergreen on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranson and children spent Sunday in Lynchburg with his mother, Mrs. W. F. Ranson. She is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Evans, of Charlotte Court House called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Frank Ranson awhile this afternoon.

Mrs. D. R. Inge was quite sick Sunday.

Mrs. Flossie Hubbard and daughter, Lois, of near Olive Branch, attended Sunday School at Rocks, and were visiting Cassie Baldwin.

Colored Dots

An unusually large crowd attended the regular preaching services at the Promise Land Baptist Church last Sunday morning. Following the regular services, the Lord's Supper was administered. All present enjoyed the services. The offering was good.

The public is invited to hear the Birmingham Four Quartet, of Baltimore in a musical program at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church this Sunday at 3 P. M. The program is sponsored by the cemetery committee of the church. A special offering will be lifted.

A religious picture will be presented at the Promise Land Baptist Church on Monday evening, July 3 at 8 P.M.

The same religious picture will be presented at the Galilee Baptist Church on Thursday, July 6, at 8 P. M.

On Friday night, July 7, the picture will be presented at the Mount Shiloh Church, at 8 P. M.

The Kings of Harmony will be presented at the Promise Land Baptist Church in a musical program on Sunday, July 14, at 8 P. M.

The Heavenly Gospel Four Quartet of Charlotte will be presented at the Galilee Baptist Church on the third Sunday in July at 8 P. M. The group will be sponsored by the Galilee Sunday School.

Mrs. Lucy Tibbs left Monday evening for Pittsburgh to be at the bedside of her son, Adolphus Tibbs, who is ill.

Mrs. Mae Francis Staton is spending some time here with her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve McCoy are the proud parents of a fine baby boy.

All Sunday Schools of the East and West Bound Sunday School Union are reminded of the annual picnic at the Prince Edward Lake on Friday, July 14.

A special class in typing was started at the Carver High School last Monday at 8 P.M. The class will be conducted each Tuesday and Thursday evening from 7 to 9.

Mrs. Mussell, of Roanoke, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Marie Flood Sunday.

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Gladstone

Gladstone, June 24.- Miss Edna Mae Glover is spending some time in Arlington with Dr. and Mrs. James G. Sites.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Giaretti, of New York are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Walton.

Mrs. T. E. Moore and daughter, Sandra Moore; Mrs. Ocie Moore and Mrs. Milton Hunter, all of Appomattox were guests Wednesday of Mrs. C. A. Bolton.

Miss Phyllis Wright recently visited friends in Howardsville.

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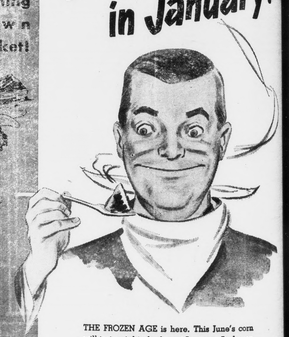

THE FROZEN AGE is here. This June's corn will taste mighty fresh next January. And even though the head of the house is above shooting a bird or catching a fish out of season, you can enjoy quail and brook trout the year 'round! To say nothing of those tender young fryers you can buy by the dozen when the price is most alluring!

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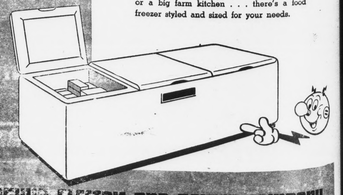

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Maybe This'll Wake Us Up!

Because a couple of thoughtless drivers threw a newspaper out of their car yesterday, Miss Gilbert, our school principal, nearly had a bad accident.

She was following them on the highway and the paper flattened over her windshield, so she couldn't see. In a minute her little coupe was across the line—right in the path of an oncoming trailer-truck. It missed . . . but only just!

The parties were recognized and soon as I heard about it I ran over to Sheriff Harper—demanded they be brought up on charges. But Harper says: "Hold on, Joe. Let's talk this out, over supper and a glass of beer at Andy's."

He pointed out that those men aren't criminals. Just careless, like a lot of us seem to be getting these days, judging from the trash you see along roadsides. From where I sit, this near accident may be the lesson we need to make us stop littering our roads—and start showing a little tolerant consideration for our neighbors!

Joe Marsh

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Black and White

Lesson for July 2, 1950

Dr. Foreman

A GROCER in Minneapolis received a letter from a former customer who had left the city owing a large grocery bill. "I have been converted in a revival," the letter said, "and I want to make every right in my life that has been wrong. Enclosed you will find a certified check for the amount. The grocer tore up the record book. This was the kind of letter which "saved you" We quote him in Minnesota Conversion is God's operation on the heart. No one can actually see the heart, but if the operation is successful, the symptoms of disease will disappear and the symptoms of health can be seen by any one. The patient is a new man.

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Jacob Black

JACOB'S is the most notable case of conversion in the Bible. Even from the Apostle Paul, is was named Jacob. His life is a story is black and white; up to a certain point hardly anything good can be said of him, but after that point he can hardly be accused of anything bad.

As all his younger days he was especially noted for giving trouble to other people and making them cry out" something he wanted for himself. First he tricked his older brother into selling him the family birthright, for the ridiculous price of a bowl of soup (pottage). We would not think any one could sell his birthright; but Jacob thought Esau when he was dog-hungry . . . Then we see him outwitting his brother again by birthright: Jacob was by that time a shameless liar and thief. It became as hot for him at home that he had to leave town.

We have a glimpse of him on his journey, dreaming about a ladder to heaven. Evidently his conscience did not trouble him. Indeed, he proceeds to bargain even with God; if God will prosper him, he says, he will see that God gets ten per cent. God did indeed prosper him; but he grew no better for it.

The rest of his life, for the next twenty years, is one piece of trickery after another, he and his uncle Laban taking turns trying to outsmart each other, with Jacob usually coming out ahead.

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Jacob White

THINGS came to a climax on the night when Jacob, fearing death at Esau's hands, arranged his family to go ahead of him, keeping himself in the safest place in the rear . . . and there at last he came face to face with God.

The story of his all-night struggle at the brook Jabbok is a strange one; but one thing is certain. After that night even his name was changed, for the man indeed was a new man.

He is patient in trouble, no longer resentful. He is not only a good man himself, he does his best to help others. He contacts what can only be called a family revival; he persuades one and all to give up the idols they had been worshipping and turn to the one true God. He offers sacrifices, like his fathers before him.

He goes down into Egypt at last, a humble man, no longer the conceited young crook he had been when he went to Padan-Aram. He depends now on God and not on himself.

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The God of Jacob

A FAMILIAR Psalm carries this refrain: "The God of Jacob is our refuge." Why the God of Jacob, not Abraham nor Isaac? Well, if it were only the God of Abraham, most of us might as well give up. For Abraham was a great genius, a man such as appears scarcely once in a century. Or if he were the God of Isaac only, we would be led to think of him as caring especially for the weak-minded, the lame and the lazy. But Jacob—a plain man full of meanness? Yet the same God who changed him can change the meanest of us.

The real test of religion is not what support it can give to noble souls, or what comfort it gives to the weak. The real test of religion is: Can God turn black into white? Can God take an ordinary, conceited, slippery customer and make a good man of him? The God of Jacob can do this; and he is the God most of us need.

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Hixburg

Hixburg, June 26.- Mr. Henry Morton and son, Marshall, of Columbia, Georgia, arrived at the home of Mr. Percy Sears on Sunday. Marshall will leave Tuesday to visit in Lynchburg. Mr. Morton will stay through the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Leatherbury, Jr. will return from their honeymoon, and spend the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Sears.

Mrs. Percy Sears was in Richmond on Wednesday and Thursday.

Capt. and Mrs. W. M. Erwin, Jr. and daughter, Cindy, of Ellington Air Base, near Houston, Texas were week-end guests in the home of Mr. W. D. Hix, Jr.

Mrs. W. M. Edwin, Sr., of Mount Ulla, N. C. is visiting in the same home.

Mesdames Alfred Harwood, Sr., and Jr. called to see Miss Maggie Hix on Friday.

J. S. Hix, of Thomasville, N. C. visited in the same home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harwood and son, Richard, of Keyport, N. J. are expected soon to spend several weeks at the Cabin on the Harwood farm.

Mrs. Douglas McClure, of Glasgow visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Wilson last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Joe Alsop and daughter, Margie Ann, of Detroit, are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carson. After their vacation, they will go to their new home in Corpus Christi, Texas, where he will continue in the practice of surgery.

Mrs. Ernest Carson spent last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hix. Little Thomas Nelson Hix, their son, was born June 8, at the Virginia Baptist Hospital in Lynchburg.

Mrs. N. S. Topping, who is convalescing in the home of her sister, Mrs. C. C. Rosser, has improved greatly.

Mrs. Carl Evans, of Roanoke, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Bob Covington on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Covington and family visited in the homes of Mrs. C. C. Rosser and Mrs. C. S. Rosser on Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Drinkard was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Inge over the week-end.

Liberty Chapel

Liberty Chapel, June 27.- Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Harvey, Jr., Gloria Ann and Mildred Ann Thornhill were supper guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Garrett.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Gunter were among those present at the Alvis reunion, which was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irby Wheeler.

W. W. Thornhill left Sunday for a week's visit with his sons in Lynchburg, Roanoke and Abingdon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Townson, of Pennsylvania were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Scruggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Harvey, Jr., Gloria Ann, and Mildred Ann Thornhill visited Mrs. H. T. Terry, at Pamplin Sunday.

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